(ङ) विदेशी सहायता प्राप्त परियोजनाओं के लिए पर्याप्त व्यवस्था सुनिश्चित करने हेतु अतिरिक्त केन्द्रीय सहायता का 100 प्रतिशत अतिरिक्त राशि के रूप मे जारी किया जाना, राज्यों को अतिरिक्त केन्द्रीय सहायता का अग्रिम के तौर पर जारी किया जाना, बोली के दस्तावेजों का मानकीकरण और वसूली संबंधी प्रक्रियाओं का सरलीकरण, केन्द्रीय सरकारी क्षेत्र के उपक्रमों को विदेशी सहायता के प्रवाह में मध्यस्थता को समाप्त किया जाना और पोर्टफोलियो यौक्तिकीकरण जैसे कुछ उपाय हैं जो सरकार द्वारा सहायता के उपयोग को सुधारने के लिए किए गए हैं।

Employees of Delhi Doordarshan All India Radio

990. SHRIGHUFRANAZAM: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) how many Group "D" employees of the offices of Delhi Doordarshan, and All India Radio have rendered more than 10 years' service in the posts;

(b) what are the reasons for not promoting Group "D" employees who have completed more than 10 years service to Group "C" posts;

(c) whether some of the Higher Secondary passed Group "D" employees of the above offices possess technical qualification like HT certificates and still continue to work on daily wages for the last eight years; and

(d) if so, what is the number and what are the reason for not regularising them in each of the directorates?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K.P. SINGH DEO): (a) to (d) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Hindi News Telecast on Doordarshan

991. PROF. VIJAY KUMAR MALHOTRA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Hindi news telecast at 1930 hrs on Doordarshan are local news;

(b) if so, the reasons for giving much less time to the local news. in this bulletin; and

<c) the steps taken to give more coverage of local news about the Government of Delhi for the benefit of the people of Delhi ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO): (a) Hindi news bulletin telecast at 1930 hrs from Delhi on its primary channel is a regional bulletin covering Delhi, Haryana and Himachal Pradesh.

(b) and (c) It is the endeavour of Doordarshan to cover all important events and developments in the region and the country during the day. Important events in the National Capital Region of Delhi are especially highlighted and given adequate coverage.

Meeting Between Cable TV Operators and DG Doordarshan

992. PROF. VIJAY KUMAR MALHOTRA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether some Cable TV Operators cf Delhi had met the Director General of Doordarshan recently;

(b) if so, what points were broug ht out by the operators in the meering; and